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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant provisionally elects Group I, the claims readable thereon as being claims 2-12 and 14-20, which are drawn to methods of enhancing an immune response comprising administering an agent which is a nucleic acid sequence encoding a TAP molecule. This is without prejudice to Applicant filing a divisional application to the Group II invention.

Applicant further elects the species f) tapasin in claim 10 and the species aa) tapasin in claim 11 as the species for prosecution if the generic claims are not held allowable.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee (including any claim fee) which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 02-2095.

In view of the foregoing comments and amendments, we respectfully submit that the application is in order for allowance and early indication of that effect is respectfully requested. Should the Examiner deem it beneficial to discuss the application in greater detail, she is kindly requested to contact the undersigned by telephone at (416) 957-1682 at her convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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